









**COMMERCIAL.**

**CLOSING QUOTATIONS.**  
WEDNESDAY, 23rd March.  
EXCHANGE.

**ON LONDON.—**

Telegraphic Transfer .....	1/10 1/4
Bank Bills, on demand .....	1/10
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight .....	1/10 1/4
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight .....	1/10 1/4
Credits, at 4 months' sight .....	1/10 1/4
Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight .....	1/10 1/4

**ON PARIS.—**

Bank Bills, on demand .....	23 1/4
Credits, at 4 months' sight .....	23 1/4

ON CEBRANITY--	On demand	189
ON NEW YORK	On demand	141
Bank Bills, On demand	45	
Credit, 60 days' sight	46	
ON PHILADELPHIA	On demand	141
Telegraphic Transfer	140	
Bank, on demand	141	
ON CALCUTTA	On demand	141
Telegraphic Transfer	140	
Bank, on demand	141	
ON SHANGHAI	On demand	141
Bank, at sight	74	
Trade, 50 days' sight	75	
ON YOKOHAMA	On demand	83 1/2
ON MANILA	On demand	74 1/2
ON SINGAPORE	On demand	1 1/2
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate	10.00	
GOLD LEAF, 100 fin. per tola	56.75	
<b>JOINT STOCK SHARES.</b>		
<b>COMPANY.</b>		
Each share	Paid up	Quotations
Hongkong & S'nd.	112	158 1/2, prev. 158
China & Japan, pref.	25	nominal
Do. ordinary	25	nominal
Do. deferred	25	15, 15s, buyers
Nat. Bank of China	28	53 1/2
Shanghai	25	53 1/2
Fuen, Shans	25	53 1/2, sellers

Dell'Anastasio E. & Co.	\$1	non paid
Campbell, Moore & Co.	\$10	\$176
Chien Seng	\$10	\$175, sellers
Cotton Mills		
Ewo	Th. 100	Th. 100, sellers
Hongkong	\$50	\$10, sellers
Ho Yee	\$10	\$10, sellers
Lau King New	Th. 100	Th. 110, sellers
Reychee	Th. 100	Th. 105, sellers
Yee Sang	Th. 100	Th. 100, sellers
Dairy Farm	\$5	
Freewick & Co., Geo.	\$25	\$50
George Island Cement	\$10	\$10, sellers
Ho Yee	\$10	\$15, sellers
H. & C. Bakery	\$50	\$52, sellers
Hongkong & C. Gas	210	\$120
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H. H. L. Tramways	\$100	\$105
Hongkong Hotels	\$50	\$54, sellers
Hongkong Ice	\$25	\$107, sellers
H. K. & C. Gas Co.	\$10	\$10, sellers
Hongkong Reps.	\$50	\$164, sales
H. & W. Dock	\$125	250, p.c.t. prem.
Quon	\$50	\$120, sellers
China Fire	\$20	\$100, sellers
China Traders	\$25	\$67, sellers
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North-China	235	Th. 194
Strait	\$50	\$125
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Yangtze	\$50	\$140, sellers
Land and Building		
Hongkong Land B.	\$50	\$74, sellers
Hongkong Land B.	\$10	\$8.25, sellers
Kowloon Land B.	\$30	\$14

West Point Building	\$40	\$30, sellers
Mining	\$100	\$45, sales
Charbonnages	For. 500	\$145, sales
G. Edin. & O'Connell		\$5, \$50
Lebanon		\$5, \$50
Jelebu		\$5, \$20
New Balmoral		\$1, \$150, sellers
Do. Do.		\$5, \$50, sellers
Do. Do.		\$5, \$15, sellers
Do. Do.		\$24, \$40, sellers
Penang		\$5, \$175, sellers
Do. Do.		\$5, \$175, sellers
Raub	144, 162	\$152, sales
New Amoy Dock		\$10, \$10
China and Manila		\$60, \$62, sellers
China Mutual Ord.		\$10, \$7, 10c, sales
Do. Preference		\$10, \$7, 10c, sales
Do. Do.		\$5, \$5, 10c, sales
Douglas Steamship		\$50, \$50, sellers
Li, Canton and N.		\$10, \$48, sellers
Indo. S. S. & N.		\$5, \$5, buyers
Tobacco Planting Co.		\$5, \$5, sellers
Do.		\$2, \$2, sellers
Do. Do.		\$2, \$2, sellers
United Do.		\$10, \$10, nominal
Wanchai Warehouse		\$374, \$40, buyers
Wason & Co. A. S.		\$10, \$12, sales
W. V. VENTON, broker		
OPTIMUM		
New	\$30 without allowance	
Old Naira (2 3/4 years)	\$750	

Old Malwa (46 years).....810 " " "  
 Old Malwa (47 yrs).....880 " " "  
 Old Malwa (48 yrs).....820 " " "  
 New Patna.....5705 Old Patna.....87  
 New Benares.....6701 Old Benares.....87  
 Ferman.....5400 " ".....80  
 Only and Ferman-rumped.....350 to 3  
 Sales.—10 chests Patna and 2 chests Bengal.

## THE WEATHER.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL  
 REGISTER, 22nd MARCH, AT 4 P.M.

STATION.	Baromet. level and height of thermo- meter.	Humidity, per cent.	Wind, force and direction.	Weather.
Wladivostok.	30.39	81	SW	b
Tokyo	30.39	81	SW	b
Kobe	30.39	81	SW	b
Nagasaki	30.27	81	W	ca
Kagoshima	30.23	85	N	ca
Gulfalga	30.19	66	77	ca

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